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BUY ALBERTA PRODUCTS CAMPAIGN HAS STARTED

Well Attended Meetings in Edmonton Thursday by Retail Merchants of Prov.

Although the attendance was small at the meeting held on Thursday of the Retail Merchants Association, those present made up in enthusiasm what they lacked in numbers; in fact so great was the interest that a committee was appointed to arrange for a further meeting later in the Fall, when it will be more convenient for interested organizations to take part.

"Buy Alberta Goods" is the subject of the speaker, Howard Stuchbury, Trade Commissioner and A. C. MacKay, Secretary of the Retail Merchants Assn., and they explained the plan to take their campaign to the people of the Province. Speaking of the unemployment situation and its relation to this buy at home policy, Mr. Stuchbury made the following statement: No industry lives to itself; if every purchaser bought Alberta made products, the following industries would employ:

Hosiery and knit goods 1378
Overalls, machinist clothing 350
Candies 450
Paint 495
Laundry Soap and Cleaners 75
Pottery 450
Canned Vegetables 450
Hats 900
Women's Dresses 450
Eggs and butter 195
Biscuits 900
Sugar 900

A total of 6981 people. Mr. Stuchbury also analyzed several industries to show how one interlocks into another and how materially the development of one assists the development of another. Sugar, for instance.

The consumption of sugar in this Province amounts to upwards of 54 million pounds annually. (This does not include the amount used in the making of candies, jam, biscuits and other products of a like nature.) Suppose the whole of this 54 million pounds was made in Alberta. What would happen? Who would benefit?

1. 30,000 acres of land would be cultivated for beets alone.
2. 1,800 farmers would be cultivating this land and cleaning it free from weeds.
3. 4,000 workers would be employed in the growing and harvesting of the beets.

4. The farmers would receive approximately \$2,000,000 for their crop. \$3,000,000 additional would be invested in plant.
6. 900 people would be employed in the sugar factory.
7. The beet pulp would fatten 40,000 lambs, or 6000 head of cattle, or provide a dairy ration for 40,000 head of dairy cows.
8. The beet molasses made would provide

between profit and loss on that crop. In times of depression and low prices this is doubly important. If profits are to be maintained when prices are low, costs must be measured accordingly.

CONTEST WINNERS

Following are the prize winners in the lucky ticket contest put on by the Star Cafe:

1. Frank Randall.
2. Vera Ward, Morningdale.
3. Margaret Jolin, College Heights.
4. B. C. Milne, Lacombe.
5. J. G. Hellmer, Foreburg.
6. Mrs. A. Sage, Lacombe.
7. H. Galt, Penhold.
8. Annie Leader, RR 2, Lacombe.
9. Joe Graie, Lacombe.
10. Alfred Daniels, 2713, 17th Ave., N.W., Calgary.
11. Goldie Calkins, Lacombe.
12. Peter McGibbons, Gull Lake.
13. John Busch, Lacombe.
14. Vanassehove, Lacombe.
15. M. Kozak, Bentley.
16. C. E. Morrison, Bentley.
17. G. W. Craigen, Lacombe.
18. J. Dryden, 9704, 87th Ave., Edmonton.
19. Jack Page, Penhold.
20. C. Graham, Lacombe.
21. D. Bowers, Laird Motors.
22. Art Perkins, Lacombe.
23. C. E. Nollis, Lacombe, Box 192.
24. L. Goodman, Ponoka.
25. H. G. Therswell, Lacombe.
26. Jack Newton, Lacombe.
27. Clara Lamb, Lacombe.
28. Marg. Cameron, Lacombe.
29. Hazel Perkins, Lacombe.
30. Gladys Rusk, Lacombe.

All pupils of Mr. Touche's entered in Toronto Conservatory Examinations were successful in passing this year, first prize receiving First Class Honors or Honors. As Mr. Touche is teaching in both Red Deer and Watakwish, those wishing lessons in Lacombe are asked to make appointments by mail if he cannot be found at home.

BENTLEY NEWS

Mr. Beacom, manager of the Bank of Montreal, left for Ramsey on business the first of the week.

Jack Darron and James McPherson won 1st prize in the horse-shoe pitching tournament held at Gull Lake last week.

The curling rink is being shingled, and in other ways being put in shape for the winter season.

Mr. G. W. Weeks of Lale is relieving in the Bank of Montreal.

Mr. E. and Mrs. A. Allan of Calgary were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Beacom over the week end.

Miss Alice Blalock spent the week end at Sylvan Lake.

The Bentley creamery is going in full swing and are putting out the same high class butter that they were noted for in the past. The output is approximately 3000 lbs. a week.

Mr. E. Schuller and Mr. Vincent Groff from Iowa are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wilton.

Born at the Bentley hospital on August 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wetzel, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of Calgary, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. P. Thorpe, over the week end.

The ice cream social held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Peterson, was a big success. Proceeds were given to the Bentley Hospital.

The following well known business men are planning a trip through the mountains over the long week end: H. Hopkins, Dr. Henry, J. G. Blish and Percy Thorpe.

Glen Williams of Crossfield was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hergott, over the week end.

BAPTIST CHURCH

September 4, 1932
Sunday School, 11 a.m.
Evangelist Service, 7:30 p.m.

TOPIK: "The Pauper who became a Prince."
Prayer meeting every Thursday at 8 p.m.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the meetings.

Al. Capone is Put in Shade Winnipeg Barrister Puts Over Million Dollar Steal

Winnipeg—University of Manitoba's \$1,600,000 endowment trust fund has shrunk to a figure estimated to be less than \$100,000, its chief guardian is seriously ill in bed with a blood charge against him and officials of the other two institutions started hurried examinations into accounts said to be in a muddled condition.

First charge against John A. Macpherson, K.C., 47-year-old chairman of the board of directors, was laid today. It charged the prominent churchman-educationalist with the theft of \$47,451.37 of University funds.

So ill with stomach ulcer that he was unable to appear in provincial police court, Macpherson was represented by counsel who agreed to the request of John Allen, K.C., Deputy Attorney-General for Manitoba, that bail be fixed at \$50,000. The case was remanded to September 1.

In the meantime more charges will be laid against Macpherson, who as bursar and chairman of the board of directors had been in charge of the university's endowment since 1910. It was announced by the remainder of the board of governors today that exact figures have not been determined.

It was learned from an authoritative source, however, that the fund's depletion by thefts amounted to approximately \$540,000. Other heavy losses were sustained through bad investments. The irregularities have taken place over a long period of years and continued until a recent date.

Officers of the Church of England

Diocese of Rupert's Land and of St. John's College held meetings today following reports that there had also been serious impairment of trust funds of the two bodies. As chancellor of the diocese, Macpherson was in charge of the funds of both. A statement is expected to be made in a few days by church heads.

Mirror Notes

Misses Jean Kenyon and Annie McLelland of Calgary are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McLelland.

Mrs. B. Downwell left on Tuesday to spend a few days at Edmonton and Jasper.

Quite a number of Mirror Eastern Star members made a visit to the Bashaw Chapter on Tuesday night last.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Jardine returned home on Friday last from Winnipeg. Mrs. E. M. Paton and Maxine left for Vancouver on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beaton were visitors at the home of Mrs. B. Downwell, during the week.

Mrs. P. Mitchell and daughter of Vancouver are visiting with Mrs. Ingram.

The following were winners in the Tennis tournament held on Sunday last:

In Ladies' Doubles—Misses Emma and Maizie Durant.
Men's Doubles—G. Fym of Gadsby Lake and Bob Miller of Bashaw.

Mixed Doubles—Mr. and Mrs. G. Fym, of Gadsby Lake.

GET YOUR LIGHTS FIXED

During the past week twelve motorists were before the court in charge of not having all their required lights burning while driving on the highway. You must have two headlights and one tail light on your car—and they all must be burning. It cost each motorist \$8.00.

British Government Delegates Sail for Home



British Government delegates to the Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa photographed aboard the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Britain" at the wharf. From left to right: Rt. Hon. Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, Colonial Secretary; Rt. Hon. Sir John Gilmour, Minister of Agriculture; and Rt. Hon. Lord Halsbury, Secretary of State for War.

WOOD RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Haged H. Roberts, who recently returned from their honeymoon at Vancouver, were guests of their many friends at the Wood River Hall Tuesday evening.

The time was pleasantly spent in dancing. Bone's orchestra furnished the music. All join in wishing this popular young couple the best of luck and happiness.

Mrs. H. Davies, of Calgary, is at present a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. James.

Miss Lenora Scott, of Edmonton, is spending the week at the J. R. Jones home.

The pupils of the Climax and Burka school answered roll call Monday morning. Miss H. Onesta and Miss Adams will again be at the helm.

Cutting is general this week, and while few have prospects of a bumper crop, still there is no room for complaining. Fine harvesting weather is the wish of all.

MORNINGSIDES

The monthly meeting of the W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Morris on Thursday afternoon, with a good attendance present. The meeting opened with a hymn, after which the president, Mrs. Wheeler read the scripture lesson, then all joined in the Lord's prayer. Mrs. Jones, of

Ponoka sang a very nice solo, which was highly appreciated by all present, also several ladies gave readings. Refreshments were served, and a pleasant hour was spent.

Rogers Wright and Horace Jacobs, of Edmonton, spent a couple of days at the manse last week.

Mrs. Graham and Miss Clarke, of Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland last week.

Steve and Henry Kruger, of Edmonton, spent last week with the Zacks.

PONOKA NOTES

John Charles Brenneholtz, aged 71 years, a highly respected citizen and old-timer of Waterville, Wash., passed away very suddenly at the home of his son, Mr. L. A. Brenneholtz, of the Lochwin district, on Thursday morning, August 18th.

Harvesting is on in earnest, and a very fair crop is reported throughout the whole district. The excessive heat of last week brought on the ripening a little too fast, but now that cutting is in progress let us have the best possible weather conditions for the next week or two.

Mr. Swan Torgeson, who, for the past four years has made his home in Kimberley, B.C., was moved to the Waterville hospital about a month ago where he died on Friday, August 19th.

Mr. Torgeson was an old-timer here, having settled in the district in 1900, was well known and highly respected.

The unemployment question is something of a puzzle. There have been many unemployed around this town, and several have taken work with the farmers; others have refused flat to work for the wages offered. The farmers cannot afford to pay more, the other party to the agreement cannot afford to work for such. So there, more co-operation, please.

The hostesses for the last tea held in the Spring were Mrs. Pillman, Mrs. D. Gilmour and Mrs. McCormick.

Golfers are reminded that the play for the Cup starts this week, and the Tournament Committee is anxious that as many ladies as possible turn in scores each week. The only way to make this a success is for every one to make a point of turning in her score as soon as she has played.

Ladies' Golf Club Opens Fall Series

The first of the Fall series of Bridge Teas will be held on Friday, September 2nd. All members are urged to be present, in order that the teas get well started.

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ADVICE EAGERLY SOUGHT BY OVER 10,000 FARMERS

Dominion Experimental Station, Here, Solves Many Problems of Agriculturist

The best farmers in Alberta are those who seek advice from the Dominion government experimental stations, although these model farms are at the service of every farmer in the province, declares F. H. Reed, B.S.A., superintendent of the station at Lacombe. "The best farmers realize most fully the value of an experimental station, the business of which is to experiment with and solve their problems," he said.

Both negative and positive experiments are tried out with livestock, field crops and horticulture at the Lacombe station, for, as Mr. Reed points out, it is just as important to tell a farmer not to follow certain methods as to tell him to do certain things.

To the silent onlooker an hour in the superintendent's office is most illuminating, for the advice given the farmers of Alberta by the Dominion government is extremely scientific, but thoroughly practical and without confusing terminology.

"Mr. Reed, can you give me some advice about sweet clover hay?" asked a farmer who had driven some 40 miles in the burning heat of an August day to get this important information.

The advantage and dangers of sweet clover silage and the fact that if it becomes mouldy it affects the blood of animals fed upon it so that they are liable to bleed to death if cut, were explained so simply and clearly that even the lay observer could understand.

Scarcely had the farmer departed with his thanks for advice on what Mr. Reed's little son calls "sawed for the cows" than another man entered the office accompanied by his son and daughter. He brought in a new and peculiar form of thistle he wanted identified. Mr. Reed did not know the weed, but inquired particulars with interest, kept the specimen and the name and address of the farmer who had found it to inform him regarding the new crop menace as soon as he had identified it.

As this visitor passed out of the office another farmer with a marked Scandinavian accent entered. He was in search of samples of wheat which might grow successfully on the particular soil of his farm. "We have 160 varieties of wheat with which we are experimenting now, so I think we can help you," Mr. Reed told him.

"I don't want that many," said the farmer, "I would like about 20 to place under glass and watch at my own place."

Mr. Reed dispatched one of his assistants to show the visitor through the field crops, to take his address and arrange to provide the required samples.

The daily routine of the farm station office is the beautiful Lacombe valley and on the gate is a sign of welcome for every farming man and woman in Alberta.

distance phone call, but the information he received was urgently wanted and worth many times that to him. The superintendent answers a yearly average of 5000 letters helping farmers to solve their difficulties. The experiments carried out and the advice given are all of a thoroughly practical nature.

The territory served by the government experimental station at Lacombe extends north from Calgary to Athabasca, east from the Rocky Mountains to the Saskatchewan boundary and advice is given for the asking.

"I wish that more of our foreign-born farmers and new settlers from other places, would avail themselves of our experience and experimentation with farming under Alberta conditions," said Mr. Reed. He added, however, that the number of farmers using the facilities of the station is increasing annually.

That beauty equal to that of the old Ontario farmstead is possible in Alberta is proven beyond question by the gardens, grounds and buildings of the Lacombe station. Large trees of some years' growth surround the entrance. Spotless neatness prevails in gardens, barnyards, fields and barns. Tall hedges of laurel leaf willow and a steady avenue of Manitoba maples as well as many other varieties of trees, shrubs and hedges, add beauty and serve as fine windbreaks.

Some 50 varieties of roses in a riot of bloom charm visitors to the farm while all forms of annuals and perennials that bloom in Alberta are demonstrated with many kinds of small fruit. Bees from the 50 colonies, each of which averages 100 pounds of extracted honey annually, scud contentedly at the flowers and in the sweet clover fields.

The modern barns, the beautiful grain fields, corrals, piggeries and poultry houses and runs, all fascinate the visitor, but perhaps the greatest beauty is the tree shaded pastures where purebred Clydesdale mares and their beautiful foals feed slowly on clover and hay at the edge of a large slough. While Clydesdales are the official horses of the farm, interesting experiments are being made with cross-breeding of Clydesdales and Shires to produce a new type of carting horse, heavy but heavy.

There are a few beautiful thoroughbreds for saddle purposes and Hackneys for driving on the farm.

The cattle are Shorthorns, the poultry White Wyandottes, the hogs mostly Yorkshires with a few Tamworths and Berkshire.

Not only successful raising of marketable farm products in livestock, field and garden, but also the art of gracious, home-like living in rural Alberta is demonstrated on this great estate in the beautiful Lacombe valley and on the gate is a sign of welcome for every farming man and woman in Alberta.

News From Lacombe Golf Club

The Dunlop Golf Ball competition is nearly completed. Jack Morrison is the dark horse of our club, first defeating Tom Jackson and later Harry Teare to win the final of group A. D. P. Chisholm showed competition. This drew must be completed by Sept. 15th. The following gives the draw with each player's handicaps.

Best 36 holes of Medal Play, Loss handicap Win.

E. H. McCaugherty	20-P. Danner	20
W. J. Taylor	24-P. H. Pratt	24
Walter Taylor	28-Gordon Sweet	24
24-A. A. Stacey	30-H. Macdonald	24
16-D. Macdonald	16-D. Macdonald	16
24-Jim Fraser	24-Stan Wilson	20
24-W. Brodsky	24-Sam Davidson	20
16-L. Winter	28-Chas. Allison	28
20-R. S. Kungieser	30-Stan Mutch	20
A. R. Lemon	30-The. Hampson	20
16-D. F. Chisholm	16-D. F. Chisholm	24
H. Teare	14-John Macdonald	14
14-Henderson	14-G. T. Jackson	14
A. Belcher	20-W. P. Parsons	20
Geo. Doherty	22-Dr. Hynes	22
Geo. DeLong	28-R. James	28
20-Dr. Moore	20-F. E. McLeod	20
T. W. H. Thompson	26-M. G. Cruickshank	24
L. Campbell	26-Don Smith	26
Don Moore	24-Frank Raymond	24
A. Sneath	22-Max Trimble	22
P. C. Owen	28-J. S. McCormick	22
E. A. Sneath	20-D. Hay	22
20-D. Hay	20-R. L. Robson	20
H. M. Trane	20-C. M. Lavery	20
Jack Halpin	24-M. McLeod	26
W. R. Fraser	16-All games must be played by September 16th, and total score posted opposite name in the Club House.	

Fragrance Sealed In Metal

FRANK'S
TEA

"Fresh from the Gardens"

Mutual Trust Must Be Re-established

One of the most interesting and thought provoking articles it has been our privilege to read for some time, and in these days of depression and pessimism it is as refreshing as a heavy shower on parched land, appeared in a recent issue of Toronto Saturday Night from the pen of Nicholas Ignatieff, a gifted young Russian engineer and thinker now resident in Canada. Mr. Ignatieff knows his native land and has written thoughtfully and sympathetically of it, but in the article to which we now refer he writes of "the British Empire as a new Canadian sea."

As he sees it the British Empire is not menaced so much by external enemies, by Bolsheviks or Communists, as by crass materialism within the Empire itself who insist on dealing exclusively with material, economic values, those individuals who have abandoned the best traditions of the Anglo-Saxon race and have plunged into the abyss of crude money-worshiping, greedy, corrupt politics which care nothing for duty and public service. The real enemies of the Empire are those who have cut themselves away from the vital sap of the historical, spiritual life of the mother country.

Mr. Ignatieff declares that it is not only his conviction, but the conviction of one of the foremost economists of the British Empire, Sir George Paish, that the way to general recovery does not lie so much in the field of economics as it does in the moral, spiritual sphere, which affects primarily our politics, and reflects adversely on economics. Sir George Paish points out that as long as politics are dominated by fear, suspicion, distrust and narrow self-interest, no economic remedy can solve the depression; and just as soon as our mental attitude is changed and we place a desire to co-operate, compromise and trust one another, the economic situation will solve itself. In his book, "The Way to Recovery," Sir George declares: "By replacing fear with confidence, injustice with justice, and antagonism with co-operation, a new and infinitely greater era would be introduced."

Continuing, Mr. Ignatieff says that when he is pointed out that one of the root causes of depression is the collapse of our present credit system, it is never realized by the crude materialist that here we are dealing practically exclusively with moral values. In the first place, credit being based on the future, it is obviously non-material; it is primarily based on trust. The general break-down of credit implies nothing more than the collapse of morals, the break-down of mutual trust. Internationally, countries are no longer trustworthy because they do not honour obligations, because they are suspicious and fearful, selfish and greedy. Within nations, the same applies among individuals—there is general misuse of credit—credit is employed largely for anti-social purposes by greedy, unscrupulous, immoral individuals. The solution of the paradox of scarcity in the midst of plenty is spiritual, not material. A little thought will convince one of the truth of these observations, yet they are dubbed "platitudes" by so many worldly wise people.

Until fear is dispelled, suspicion allayed, confidence restored, there can be no real and lasting economic recovery, because, until these better conditions prevail, credit cannot be re-established. Credit is founded upon these things; trust is the one permanent foundation upon which a credit structure can be erected, and until credit is restored the world will remain economically sick. So long as fear and suspicion rule men and nations, so long as narrow nationalism, because of such fear and suspicion remains the guiding policy of the nations, so long will trade obstructions be maintained, so long will there be an absence of credit. And just so long will the peoples of the world suffer economic hardship and loss. Therefore, it is repeated, what the world stands in need of today is a spiritual readjustment rather than economic reorganization. Given the first, the second will automatically and quickly follow. But without the one the other is impossible.

Exposition Of Fascism

Premier Mussolini Does Not Believe In The Possibility Of Perpetual Peace

War is exalted by Premier Mussolini as giving "the ideal of nobility to peoples" in his concluding exposition of Fascism for the Encyclopaedia Italiana which was published in the Italian newspaper, Il Popolo d'Italia. Perpetual peace, the premier says, is impossible.

His dictum of democracy is this: "It is a failure more tyrannical than tyranny." "Fascism, as it generally regards the future and the development of mankind and apart from consideration of present policies, does not believe in the possibility of perpetual peace," the premier writes.

The premier reaffirms the doctrine that the state is supreme. His discussion of religion is brief. "Fascism is not indifferent to religion in general or Italian Catholicism in particular. The state does not have a theology but a morality. Religion is not only respected but defended and protected."

An Absurd Practice

One well known radio station has decided that in future the names of radio announcers will not be given, and it is said that others are likely to follow suit. The plan has always been about as sensible as it would be for a brakeman to give his Christian and surname after calling out the next station.

"Well, I've brought back the car you sold me."

"How come?"

"When I bought it I thought '1632' was the license number, but now I realize it's the year of manufacture."

Eymouth, England, is to make a law fixing a definite hour for the shaking of rugs and mats by housewives.

Brazil has shipped more than 1,000 tons of rubber to the United States this year.

Don't leave kind words unsaid. Tomorrow may be too late.

Pains In Stomach and Bowels So Bad Would Have To Sit Down

Mrs. C. Landry, Moncton, N.B., writes:—"I can certainly recommend Dr. Fowler's Kidney and Bladder Pills for cramps or pains in the stomach and bowels."

"Last Summer I had such awful pains in my stomach, and lower part of my bowels, at times, I would have to sit down. I took 'Dr. Fowler's' and was relieved."

"When my children were small I always kept a bottle in the house and it helped them wonderfully whenever any of them had bowel complaints."



Poor Crop Prospects In Russia

Believe Country Will Need All Its Grain For Food

Poor crop prospects in Russia are indicated in the report by districts which the Dominion Bureau of Statistics received by cable from its London correspondent. "Great export," the summary declares, "are dependent upon the policy of the Soviet Government and the urgency of the need of foreign currency. The country needs all its grain for food, especially in view of the continued acute shortage of other foodstuffs."

Since it was the flood of Russian wheat on the market last autumn that broke the prices, the Russian crop prospects are of particular interest to Canada. Last year Russia exported, to July 31, 71,000,000 bushels, but the present report indicates that it will reach nothing like those proportions this year.

The summary states that "vegetables are lacking for the winter months and at present vegetables constitute a large part of the diet as grain reserves, excepting army supplies from 1930 crop, are consumed. The foregoing and other factors, including a tremendous discrepancy between open market and collective prices, the freedom of peasants to sell on the open market after December, and an acute shortage of manufactured goods for trade for grain, indicate unexpected difficulties in collecting the government's share of the harvest. Much poorer crops than last year are indicated in the areas around export outlets."

Ask For Set Wheat Prices

Alberta Farmers Want Creditors To Share Some Of The Loss

A special meeting of the Alberta legislature to deal with the question of making past indebtedness of farmers payable in grain at a set price is being urged by the executive of the United Farmers of Alberta.

The special session was first sought by the U.F.A. local of Hanna. At a recent meeting the provincial executive decided on a similar step and passed a resolution that will be sent to Premier John Brownlee.

The resolution suggests the price of the wheat to be tendered in debt payments be set at a level "which will force the creditor interests to stand some of the loss now borne wholly by the farmer."

The U.F.A. executive maintains this will force creditors to shoulder loss due to deflation and make material reduction in the farmer indebtedness.

The U.F.A. also plans to protest to Premier R. B. Bennett the tariff placed on farm implement spare parts which is placing a heavy burden on the farmer.

Manitoba Scenery Will Not Be Disfigured

Stricter Regulations Now Govern Erection Of Advertising Signs

Advertising sign boards will not disfigure the scenery along the highways of Manitoba, the government has decided. Stricter regulations governing the erection of sign boards were made Wednesday, August 10, under the terms of the Good Roads Act.

In future signs can only be erected with the approval of the minister of public works, who will charge a fee for each sign, ranging from \$5 to \$10. Under no circumstances will signs be allowed where they conceal beautiful scenery or obstruct views of sections.

Was Famous Layer

Hen No. 6 Of University Of British Columbia, Is Dead

Hen No. 6 is dead. The Leghorn of the University of British Columbia pen created a world record during the Agassiz egg-laying contest of 1926-27, by laying 351 eggs. In five years she laid 1,260 eggs.

The record of No. 6 hen has since been beaten by a hen owned by W. Whiting of Port Kells, which laid 357 eggs in the Agassiz contest in 1929.

Breeding stock from No. 6 hen has been sent to all parts of the world, and has been unusually successful.

No More Asthma. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy sounds the death knell of this trying trouble. It stops the awful choking and painful breathing. It guards against night attacks and gives renewed ability to sleep and rest the whole night long. Much is claimed for this remedy, but nothing but what can be demonstrated. Write for a free trial of asthma. We will try it and convince yourself of its great value.

Cheques Made Of Steel

Steel-jacketed bullets were necessary to cancel three cheques for amounts totalling \$120,000 which were received by the Cleveland Trust Company. Given as prizes for the best discussions on the uses of arc welding, the cheques were made of one-eighth inch steel and all writing was done by arc welding.

Unemployed workers of South Shields, England, have organized a male choir to "drive gloom away."

Brazil's 1932 nut crop is estimated at about 30,000 tons.

Ice, while it will float in water will not float in alcohol.

Indians are less taste-blind than whites.

In ancient Babylonia, medicines were frequently mixed in beer.

FAT GIRLS OUT OF FASHION

Women of All Nations Showing

All over the world the Kruschen Salts is appealing to girls and women who are striving for an attractive, free-living figure.

Here is the method they are following to banish fat and bring into blossom all the natural attractiveness that they possess. Every morning they take a half-teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of warm water before breakfast.

At the same time the stomach, liver, kidneys, and bowels are toned up and the pure, fresh blood containing Nature's six life-giving salts is circulated to every organ, gland, nerve, and fibre of the body, and this is followed by "that Kruschen feeling" of energetic health and activity that is reflected in bright eyes, clear skin, cheerful vivacity, and a charming figure.

Pension Act Investigation

Criticism Is Offered In Connection With Operation Of Plan

Disatisfaction with the personnel of the committee which will investigate the operation of the Pension Act, and disappointment that the organization of which he is chairman is not as energetic as it should be, was expressed at Ottawa by W. J. Young, the representative of the blinded soldiers and sailors and of the amputation cases.

Mr. Young characterized as "very ineffectual" the "Pension Act" committee. "Their disabilities were obvious and consequently no dispute arose as to the manner in which pension payments were disbursed to them."

Other conditions, however, developed in connection with those who service men whose disabilities were not obvious, he declared, and these were not all represented by the various associations which had been accorded membership on the committee.

"Most of those named in the committee personnel," said Mr. Young, "are connected with veterans drawing the average of 100 per cent pension, and are men with obvious disabilities receiving the maximum."

He charged that the public sympathy which such cases excite was the cause of their appointment. Mr. Young claims to represent over 100,000 service men, from coast to coast.

Serum For Addison's Disease Is Expensive

Fifteen Oxen Are Required To Supply One Dose

Fifteen oxen are required for a newly discovered treatment for Addison's disease. Successful results of the treatment have been obtained at a London hospital.

Fortunately the disease which attacks the pituitary gland and stops growth is rare, for the expense of extracting one dose of serum from fifteen oxen is enormous.

The life of one patient was saved when the new treatment, costing \$125 was spent on him to do it, and the treatment continued to cost \$5 a day.

Persian Balm is universal for promoting feminine loveliness. Tones and rejuvenates the skin. Makes it quietly soft-textured. Makes hands flawlessly white. Especially recommended to soothe and relieve roughness or chafing caused by weather conditions. Indispensable to every vain woman. Cool and refreshing. Delicately fragrant. Magical in results. Never leaves a vestige of stickiness. Persian Balm is the only folk-requisite for the woman who cares for charm and elegance.

Many Placed In Employment

Saskatchewan Government Finds Jobs For 2,511 Persons In Five Weeks

Jobs for 2,511 persons were found by government employment office in Saskatchewan during the five weeks ending July 30, official figures indicate. The number of persons applying for work at the nine employment offices in the province during the period were 2,928, and the number of employers' orders received were 2,687.

In addition to these figures there were 187 applications received from the army, and 89 of these were located with positions.

Not So Weak

Sir William Arbuthnot Lane says that women will always live longer than men because "nature has provided them with an enormous reserve of energy and vitality," and also for the reason that their lighter clothing enables both "sunshine and air to get to the skin." This, however, Sir William is manifestly an entire misapprehension.

PERSONAL

SCOTTISH LADY AT PRESENT IN Canada, would like to take in charge one or more young ladies, has experience in travel abroad, and with Canadian girls. Could act as companion to lady, in any part of Canada, or as travel companion. Has excellent testimonials both in Canada and in Britain. Will willingly give more information to interested party.—Apply Box 50, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 178 McDermott Ave., East, Winnipeg, Man.

African Swamp Area May Be Reclaimed

To Solve Problem Of Controlling Level Of Nile

Another attempt is being made to solve the problem of controlling the level of the Nile, which has baffled human ingenuity all down the ages. To this end, a recent despatch from Cairo says a great project of reclamation work in Africa is proposed, by which a swamp area as large as England will be reclaimed and a water supply one-third larger than is at present available provided for Egypt.

The scheme involves a fifty-million dollar engineering project in southern Egypt, by which a preliminary survey is now under way. In fact, the bed of Lake Albert is now being sounded for rock foundations to support a huge dam which the enterprise will necessitate. The dam is to conserve the waters of the lake and provide an even flow into the Nile.

The elimination of the huge Sudd Swamp by this great irrigation scheme is also an important feature of the project, this requiring the cutting of a wide and deep channel through the swamp to permit the full volume of the White Nile to flow into the river. The wall of the dam is to be sufficiently wide to carry a road and railway tracks, establishing a new northern connection between the Congo system and the Uganda railway, probably diverting traffic to the African east coast. A three-fold purpose will thus be served in opening a vast tract of arable land, in providing a more adequate water supply for Egypt, and in making the Nile for the first time in its history act like a conservative river.

Cheaper Salt

Money Saved By Utilizing The Hudson Bay Route

A group of Saskatchewan wholesale grocers, anxious to assist in the development of the Hudson Bay route and Port Churchill, purchased 200 tons of salt in the British West Indies. This cargo was shipped to Liverpool, England, and there will be transferred to a steamer plying into Churchill.

On the face of it this is but a patriotic gesture toward western Canada's port, but under the surface there is considerably more than appears at first sight.

Through their patriotic gesture the grocers in western Canada have discovered it is possible to purchase their salt in the British West Indies, take it half way round the world and then bring it through the Churchill port at 18 cents a hundred pounds less cost than the same salt purchased and shipped from eastern Canada.

Commenting on this situation the manager of one of the leading wholesale houses in Saskatoon stated the saving to the people of Saskatchewan on this salt shipment would be approximately \$720. He attributed the saving to the dispensing with the long rail haul from eastern Canada.

Improving On Nature

Salt Heated By Electricity Can Be Kept At Even Temperature

Hot heating by electric current has come to be recognized as an aid to the growers to get their produce to get earlier and secure better prices. Equipment for heating beds, including cable and thermostats, was sold to farmers in the United States last year for the first time and several plants were set up in Canada.

The bulk of the power is used between sundown and sunrise, making it practically an off-peak load. The advantage of electric heating over steam or manure is seen in the more complete control. Flowers, such as Easter lilies, can be speeded up, a greater percentage of growth is noted in cuttings of plants. Celery appear to respond particularly well to the electrical current.

Not Keen About Navy

But Prince Of Wales Sometimes Regrets Leaving It

"I didn't like the navy," said the Prince of Wales at a banquet given at London recently, "I left it and became a Grenadier."

Surrounded by soldiers, sailors and airmen, who had gathered to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Union Jack Club, the Prince tried to tactfully end himself to everybody.

Although he expressed his dislike of the navy, the prince said: "I am sometimes sorry that I left it."

His Only Idea

Young Wife Of Mr. Hill, I want you to go around to the minister and arrange for having the baby christened."

Bill (shipyard worker): "You mean to say you are going to let somebody hit that little thing over the head with a bottle?"

Mistress: "Mary while I was away you wore my blue dress. I don't like it."

Maid: "Oh, madam! And I just love it."

Mercury has been known for at least 2,500 years, but its wide use as a development of recent centuries.

Northern Air Mail Service

Extends From Great Bear Lake To Lively Arctic Ports

Extension of mail service by means of private flying facilities to meet needs of those in the Coronation Gulf and other parts of the Arctic, was announced by Major R. W. Hale, superintendent of the Edmonton postal district.

Instead of those living along the Arctic coast having to wait for indefinite periods, even two years at times, before receiving mail by boat from Akivik, they will now receive mail at much shorter intervals.

Arrangements have been made for the mail to be sent to Coronation Gulf, Victoria Island, and other non-post office points by a route that extends from Great Bear Lake, instead of the round-about way through Akivik.

When aeroplanes leave Great Bear Lake for the post-office night to Coronation Gulf, they will carry mail that has been routed to the mining region for northern delivery.

The points which will be served in this way include the following: Bay 66, Cameron Bay, Lindsay Bay, Glacier Bay, Echo Bay, Labine Point, Contact Lake, Hunter Bay, Dome Bay, Coppermine, Port Hearne, Diabolo Lake, Borden Lake, Cambridge Bay, Bathurst, Reid Island, King William Land, Bernard Harbor, Wilton Land, Walker Bay, Peterson Bay and Tree River.

In all likelihood, it will not be long before a post office is established at the mouth of the Coppermine River.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

RIPE PLUM JAM—RIPE PRUNE JAM

4 cups (2 lbs.) crushed fruit.
1/2 cup water.
7 1/2 cups (3 1/2 lbs.) sugar.
1/2 bottle fruit pectin.

To prepare fruit, pit about 2 1/2 pounds fully ripe fruit. Do not peel. Cut into small pieces and crush thoroughly.

Measure fruit solidly packed, and water into a large kettle. (For Ripe Plum Jam, add juice of 1 lemon.) In all thickening, boil, over, and simmer 15 minutes. Add sugar, mix well, and bring to a full rolling boil over hottest fire. Stir constantly before and while boiling. Boil hard 1 minute. Remove from fire and stir in pectin. Stir, pour quickly. Pour into hot jars at once. Makes about 11 glasses (8 fluid ounces each).

APPLE MOCK MACARON PUDDING

3 cups apple sauce, fresh or canned.
1 cup rice, crushed.
1/2 cup nuts, finely chopped.
2 tablespoons butter, melted.
1/2 teaspoon almond extract.

Put half the apple sauce in a buttered baking dish. Combine rice, nuts, butter and almond extract and cover apple sauce with half the prepared crumb mixture. Repeat layers. Bake 30 minutes in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees Fahrenheit). Serve hot or cold with cream or soft custard. Serves 6.

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Infantile Paralysis

Belief Expressed That House Flies Carry Germs

Possibility that there is some significance in the fact that cases of infantile paralysis occur most frequently during the "house fly season" is suggested by Dr. W. J. Bell, Deputy Minister of Health for Ontario.

"It is pure theory," Dr. Bell said. "There is no scientific explanation for the fact that infantile paralysis occurs generally during the summer months, but the coincidence that germ-bearing house flies are most prevalent at that time may be significant."

Larned A Lesson

A U.S. tourist laid down complaint in Aylmer, Ontario, recently. It seems he had replenished his gas supply at a station in another town, tending a \$10 U.S. bill in payment, and received his change in good Canadian money.

On arrival at Aylmer he endeavored to change the Canadian money back into U.S. funds, and was most indignant when the bank demanded a discount. He learned a lesson in exchange when he was told that many a Canadian visitor to the U.S.

Walks Across Canada

Setting out afoot from New Westminster, B.C., on April 14, Frank G. Potter, a former Nova Scotian who has lived the last 20 years in the west, arrived at Halifax recently en route to his old home in the Annapolis Valley. He had last visited his home in 1919. Mr. Potter walked the most of the distance from the Pacific Coast, but received a motor lift at intervals.

The oldest cemetery in Canada is thought to be the one adjoining old Fort Anne, Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia.

Non-navigable rivers and small streams are the property of the persons through whose land they flow.

Stops Summer Odors

The heavy smell which warm weather brings to many people is largely prevented by regular bathing with a free lather of Baby's Own Soap.

The delicate aroma dispels all unpleasantness and the skin feels so refreshed and cool.

Baby's Own sells at 10c. a cake at dealers everywhere.

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A Warmer Climate

Scientists Predict Radical Weather Changes In The Future

Some times you hear people who, in the present condition of mankind, express the wish that they might be living on this planet a few thousand years hence. They are sure there will then be more culture, more altruism, more highly improved mechanics and a happier state of things all around.

But, according to the recent pronouncements of scientists, there will be great drawbacks to the enjoyment of an Edenic existence in those future days, and one of them will be a devastating flood. Dr. W. J. Humphreys, professor of meteorology of the United States weather bureau, says that with the vanishing of the last 6,000,000 square miles of ice sheets at and near the poles and the high mountains the oceans will be raised 151 feet.

In this daimyng prediction Dr. Humphreys is supported by Professor David, of Australia; Professor Molau, of Germany, and others, who also accept the theory of the American scientist that it's going to be pretty warm in the present temperature zone, for as the ice melts the tropics will press upon them and they in turn will press upon the polar regions. — Los Angeles Times.

Business Is Growing

Increase In Air Passengers Between Germany and Russia

Air service between Germany and Russia continues to grow. Estimates are that "Deruluf," the German-Russian air transportation company, will carry this year at least nine times as many passengers as it did in its first 12 months nine years ago. Mail, baggage and freight also have made great gains. The services operated, one between Berlin and Moscow, and the other from Königsberg to Leningrad. Scheduled flights have increased from two to seven times a week.

Miller's Worm Powders were devised to promptly relieve children who suffer from the ravages of worms. It is a simple preparation to destroy stomachic and intestinal worms without shock or injury to the most sensitive system. They act thoroughly and businessily and in some cases they may cause vomiting, that is an indication of their powerful action and not of any nauseating property.

Millions Sent Abroad

Unbelievable Amount Remitted By Foreigners To King Land

Allen Americans and foreigners residing in the United States sent approximately \$173,000,000 in immigrant remittances back to their native lands during 1931, according to the balance of international payments of the United States, just issued by the Department of Commerce. Remittances during the year, however, were about thirteen per cent. under those of the previous year and 30 per cent. below the estimate for 1929.

Rub It In For Lame Back—A brisk rubbing with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will relieve lame back. The skin will immediately absorb the oil and it will penetrate the tissues and bring speedy relief. Try it and be convinced. As the liniment rubs the pain comes out and there are ample grounds for saying that it is an excellent article.

Origin Of Word "Candy"—Soldiers with Alexander the Great were the boys who put the word "candy" into general circulation. Dr. C. A. Browne, chief of the United States Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, says the soldiers were in India when they ran across a sweet cane the Indians called "kand." They took the word back to Macedonia and since that time it has been used to denote anything that we have "candy."

In trying to solve cases in two cities, Edinburgh, Scotland, sent finger prints of 704 persons to Scotland Yard, London, last year.

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CARTER'S PINK PILLS

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A Separate Grade For Garnet Wheat Is Sought By British Milling Interests

Continuation of the policy of permitting Garnet wheat to be mixed with Marquis and Reward varieties or of marketing it as No. 1 and No. 2 Northern wheat will meet sharp opposition against all wheat sales from Canada, in the opinion expressed by William Smith, chief grain buyer and miller for the Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society.

The British miller, he stated, had found the Garnet variety unsuitable for milling purposes in Britain. At a recent meeting of the milling and grain interests held in London a decision was taken which called for the special grading of Garnet wheat as distinct from the other Canadian wheat varieties.

"It is to the interest of the Canadian wheat producers to see that this separate grading is undertaken," stated Mr. Smith. "The British buyer of wheat is determined that when he purchases grain on the Canadian market that the commodity supplied him will be either No. 1 or No. 2 Marquis or Reward. Any purchases of Garnet variety made will only be bought on the strict understanding that it is of this variety, and at a price considerably below that paid for the other standard Canadian varieties."

Reasons given by Mr. Smith for the objection of British and Scottish millers to Garnet wheat is that it lacks in protein value and also that its baking qualities lack strength and stability as compared with the Marquis and Reward varieties.

Mr. Smith was definite in his statement that he did not wish to be construed as advocating the non-growing of Garnet. "This may be the best type of wheat to grow in certain districts, but, for its successful marketing it must be labelled what it is and not be placed on the market as holding grade with the other Canadian varieties."

Unless there is a separate grade for Garnet, British millers and grain buyers will be forced to divert their purchases to other channels, and there is no assurance to them that the wheat bought will be the required Marquis or Reward varieties.

A further factor, said Mr. Smith, which must be considered is the continuance of a policy of not grading the Garnet wheat may result in definite lowering of the price of all Canadian wheat on the British markets.

Canada's Population

Percentage Of Native Born Residents Shows Decrease

The percentage of native-born making up the population of Canada has fallen from 88.08 in 1881 to 77.76 in 1931, while the foreign-born (excluding British) has grown from 2.87 per cent. in 1881 to 10.23 in 1931. During the same period the percentage of British-born varied but little being 11.07 per cent. in 1881 and 11.41 per cent. in 1931.

These and other interesting figures were contained in the latest bulletin on the Dominion Census of 1931. This census gave Canada a total population of 10,376,786 as against 8,797,949 in 1921, an increase in ten years of 1,588,837, or 18.08 per cent. The census of 1921 gave an increase of 1,581,840 or 21.95 per cent. over the 1911 census.

Hard Task For Doctor

Valuable Snake In London Zoo To Have Glass Eye

Fitting a snake with a glass eye is the delicate operation which faces a doctor when he works on a huge Madagascan boa in a London zoo.

Some time ago this rare and valuable boa became blind in one eye. It was found that the eye was badly damaged and causing much pain.

The offending eye was plucked out, and the snake's normally good spirits returned.

But the boa had lost much in beauty. Therefore, a suitable glass eye has been selected, and will be fitted in.

New Natural Gas Producer

A large flow of natural gas has been struck in the Kinsella field, southeast of Edmonton, Alberta. The new producer is reported to have a flow of 1,600,000 cubic feet per day.

A new bathing "suit" has been designed, in which after it has been inflated, the wearer can float for hours.

Professor: "Once again I have come out without my umbrella."—MUCHA, WARSAW.

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Lets Electricity Do It

Farmer-Legislator Uses Modern Method To Remove Stumps
When J. W. Berry, member for Delta in the British Columbia legislature, wants to remove stumps from his big farm near Langley, he just turns a switch and lets electricity do the work.

Approaching the stump with an electrically-driven auger, the stump expert pierces each of the large roots to a depth of about nine inches. Into the holes he pours a spoonful or so of gasoline and cylinder oil. Blast of air are introduced into the holes through iron pipes attached to rubber hose.

The oil mixture is touched off with a match and soon the entire middle part of the stump is incandescent as the heart is being eaten away by the flames. Air is forced under electrical pressure through the iron pipes so the fire is maintained under forced draught until the whole of the stump is destroyed.

Once Considered Delicacy

Butter Used To Be Buried To Acquire Flavor

There is a kind of cheese that has to be buried for a period before it acquires its distinctive flavor.

The same sort of thing was formerly done with butter in the Highlands of Scotland and in Ireland, and a wooden keg containing butter which had been buried in this way was recently discovered in Skye.

This keg was buried at a depth of about six feet, and the butter, which is believed to be hundreds of years old, tasted like sweetened tallow candle.

In some parts of the East butter has been buried for some time is still considered a delicacy and large vessels containing butter are regularly deposited underground and recovered when sufficient time has elapsed.



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STAMPED ALL OVER IT

Who doesn't adore the new negligee—long to the ankles, making one look just as slim and graceful as a reed.

Well here is a model that will do the trick for you. And imagine how simple it is to make, too. In these days of complicated cuts, this will be as simple as eating apple pie.

It is cut fairly close about the hip area and adjusted by an attached sash. Another interesting thing about it is the shoulder yoke which offers many schemes for contrast. Such a model is today's pattern which can be carried out in crepe satin, chiffon in plain or print, rayon novelties, etc., but is especially nice in two tones of crepe silk as the original.

Size 36 requires 4 1/2 yards 35-inch with 1 yard 39-inch contrasting.
Style No. 655 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust.
Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred). Wrap coil carefully.

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Pattern No. _____ Size _____

Name _____

Town _____

Latest Scientific Wrinkle

Ink Spot Picture Used To Analyze Human Brain

Ink spots are the latest scientific wrinkle by which psychiatrists can examine the human brain and determine whether individuals are normal or abnormal.

Hundreds of tests made by Mrs. David Ralph Hertz, wife of Traction Commissioner Hertz of Cleveland, have established positively that reactions of individuals to ordinary ink spots can be used by psychiatrists to analyze them.

There is nothing mysterious about the spots, even though their use seems to lead toward black magic. Every school child has dropped a dab of ink on a piece of paper, folded it, and then guessed what it looked like.

And that procedure is exactly the one Mrs. Hertz follows. She is working in conjunction with Samuel Beck of Boston. Beck is making charts of the reactions of abnormal people and Mrs. Hertz charts of normal humans.

"Of course, the test is only begun," she said. "Hundreds of more experiments will have to be taken. But this test of mine has proved the process is practical."

Mrs. Hertz first tested 300 children in a junior high school. Using 10 ink spots, she allowed each subject to look at each spot for two minutes, jotting down verbatim everything said.

Then she compared the answers with hundreds of others she got from special groups of psychoneurotics, uneducated girls and feeble-minded.

By finding the normal for each special type, Mrs. Hertz can work backwards and quickly classify an unknown case.

Normal people seemed to see animal and insect life in the spots. Psychoneurotics were sensitive to color in some spots and most of them saw parts of the human body in the spots. The feeble-minded visioned far-fetched likenesses. With a natural antipathy to social tests, the maladjusted girls made their first remarks about the white spots left by the ink as it spread. That's called perseverance.

Well Known "Mrs. Grundy"

Famous Character Came Into Existence In English Play

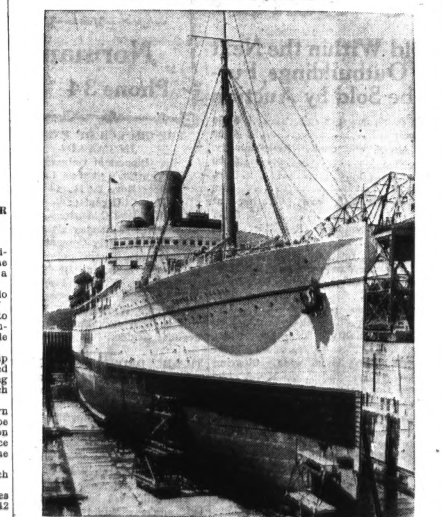
That famous character "Mrs. Grundy," came into existence in a play called "Speed the Plough," written by Thomas Morton and produced some hundred and thirty years ago. In this play one of the characters has a habit of dragging her neighbour, Mrs. Grundy, into everything she says. At last her husband bursts out: "It is always 'What will Mrs. Grundy say?' What will Mrs. Grundy think?" Actually, Mrs. Grundy never once appears on the stage! But the constant reference to her opinions appealed to the public fancy and she still survives as a stickler for the proprieties.

Tests Were Successful

A successful secret test of a new torpedo-like rocket was conducted at Dummer Lake, near Osnabruck, Germany. The rocket, invented by the Hanover engineer, Reinhold Tilling, is about eight feet long and equipped with wings about 10 feet wide. The rocket shot into the air and the wings unfolded at an altitude of more than 5,000 feet, permitting the rocket to glide to earth.

Japanese long-tailed fowls sometimes have tails 18 feet in length.

SPRING-CLEANING AN EMPRESS



Under special arrangement with the Dominion Government the Canadian Pacific Express Liners will, in future, have their annual summer overhauls in the great drydock at Victoria, British Columbia, instead of at Hong Kong, as in the past. Our picture shows the R.M.S. Empress of Russia in drydock, the first of the Canadian Pacific Fleet to be spring-cleaned in Canada. The "Empress of Russia" is 670 feet long, with a beam of 68 feet, but she looked small in the mammoth Victoria drydock which is 1,150 feet long with a minimum width of 124 feet. The drydock has a capacity of 42,000,000 gallons yet can be pumped dry in four hours.

The Victoria dock is exceeded in size only by the Commonwealth Dock of Boston, which is 28 feet longer. The new Southampton dock is 1,200 feet long but over all is not as large as that at Victoria.

The Dominion Government, in order to bring the work to Canada granted special concessions which will result in the expenditure of some \$150,000 on labour plus the cost of material.

FROUD OF GAVEL



Mr. Stewart Young, of the Town Planning Branch of the Saskatchewan Department of Municipal Affairs, proudly displaying a gavel sent to him as Secretary of the Saskatchewan Land Surveyors Association by J. Lonsdale Dwyer of Winnipeg. The gavel is made from oak grown on grounds at the Phoenix Hotel of the Inkster family at Kildonan, Manitoba.

Red Clover Seed

High Grade Seed Brings Three Cents Per Pound More Than Ordinary

According to a news report going the rounds of the press, farmers of the Stittville (Ontario) district, recently sold a shipment of 35,000 pounds of red clover seed which was graded and sealed as Certified, No. 1. This seed brought 3 cents per pound more than dealers were offering for ordinary No. 1, proving once more that it pays to grow the best. Watch the Stittville men when the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference takes place at Regina next year. At this great all-Canadian, open to the world show, there are four classes for clover seed with \$5,500 in 110 cash prizes. There are three firsts each of \$300.

Wins Farm Competition

Master Farmer Successful In Regina Board Of Trade Contest

Thomas A. McCusker, Regina's master farmer, has won both competitions held by the Regina Board of Trade in Regina district, this year, the better farming and standing wheat crop contests. This is the third successive year for Mr. McCusker to win the better farming contest, and under the rules of the Board of Trade, he is barred from taking part in this competition for two years in succession. It is the first year he has won the standing wheat crop contest.

Others who won prizes in the better farming competition are: Second, McDermid Rankin, Grand Coulee; third, E. Chestnut, Grand Coulee; fourth, J. A. Chalmers, Grand Coulee; and F. W. Myers.

Likely Fills Her Column

The editor of the Times-Democrat, Evansburg, Kentucky, who by the way is a woman, apparently is acquainted with the fallings of human nature. At the head of the "Personal" column each week appears the following notice—"If you have visitors of whom you are not ashamed, report to this office."

More than 4,000 oak trees from the Cobham Hall estate, near Gravesend, England, were sold at auction.

Studying Weather

Conditions In North

Scientists Operating Electric Power Plant At Fort Rae

Amazing to Indians and a marvel to white settlers as well, an electric power plant is in operation at Fort Rae trading post 1,000 miles north of Edmonton.

The plant is being operated by the party of British scientists, headed by Prof. J. M. Stagg of London, England, who arrived recently to establish a base for their year's work. Lights from the plant will be used to illuminate the Hudson's Bay Company's trading store and the post manager's house.

Hundreds of Indians who were arriving at the trading post to await the paying of treaty money were keen observers of the mysterious white men "making medicine" in buildings once occupied by the natives.

After arriving on the Liard River steamer, the scientists set to work immediately and now are well established. The low building which was once a shelter for Dogrib Indians has been transformed into a meteorological house which is full of delicate instruments.

Roads and historical floors are occupied by benches and tripods on which rest sensitive instruments which are used to study weather conditions.

One of the most interesting instruments set up is a device for recording automatically all day long on a chart the velocity, direction and pressure of the wind.

Protruding through the roof of the weather building is a long steel tube, on both sides of which are two small rubber tubes which convey the speed and pressure of the wind to delicate mechanism below which automatically record the readings.

Erected outdoors are two other instruments of simpler construction which are used to determine the velocity of the clouds.

The instruments for observing the terrestrial magnetism are complicated indeed, consisting of scores of tiny brass set screws, glass prisms, lenses of all types, photographic roller, etc.

For recording the temperature and barometric pressure of the atmosphere at extremely high altitudes, rubber balloons six feet in diameter will be sent up at intervals to a height of 52,800 feet. At this altitude the balloons will burst and the self-recording instruments will fall to the earth.

Great concern is felt over the problem of recovering these instruments. While the balloon is rising through a current, several miles up, it can be carried many miles away and thus make the chances of its recovery very small.

The only solution thus far is to tie about 3,000 feet of colored ribbon to the instruments so that when they fall the ribbon will trail behind and, upon striking the ground, stretch over the snow for a great distance.

Dog teams will be used to convey the parties about the country in search of instruments which fall from the balloons. Also, a \$10 reward will be offered to any Indian who returns a set of the instruments to Fort Stagg.

Bogus Stock Salesmen

Still Finding Victims

Millions Lost In New York State During Few Months

Even in these times high-pressure stock salesmen are still finding plenty of victims. During the six months ending June 30 more than \$23,000,000 was lost on bogus stocks in New York State alone. State Bureau of Securities enjoined 818 persons and fined from selling stock.

People never tire of chasing the rainbow. Spin a yarn of easy money and there will always be someone to invest. If the losses were incurred by those who could afford to take a flier, it would not be so bad. But so many of the millions put in worthless securities come from the life savings of widows and aged men, whose power is gone to recuperate financial reverses.

New Pastime For Blind

Invention Enables Sightless Persons To Do Crossword Puzzles

A London doctor has made an invention whereby the blind can do crossword puzzles and acrostics. The inventor is Dr. P. W. Alexander, a former medical officer, and the inspiration came to him as he passed a laundry.

The invention is based on the Braille reading system for the blind, and is composed of a laundry-board studded with nails denoting groups of the alphabet. Numerous games can be played on this device.

Division Of Wheat Acreage

Canada's wheat crop of 1932 is likely to be harvested from about 25,168,000 acres of which 2,552,000 acres are in Manitoba, 14,184,000 acres in Saskatchewan, 1,728,999 acres in Alberta, and 794,000 acres distributed through the other provinces.

A railway season ticket, covering 175 miles of travel, was issued to a dog, at Plymouth, Mass. It could accompany its mistress, a travelling saleswoman, on her trips.

The life of a single hair on a human head is estimated to be from six to 19 years.

Additional Sites Recommended For Marking By Historic Sites and Monuments Board

Archaeologists May Be Making Great Discovery

Believe Maher So Long Venerated Is Not True One

Excavations started after an accidental discovery are expected to reveal the manger in which Christ was born.

A rock-hewn grotto at the Church of the Nativity at Bethlehem has been known for centuries as the manger, but the new excavations seem to show that tradition has been mistaken.

Though it is agreed that the Church of the Nativity, the oldest Christian building in the world, stands on the site of the manger, Mary and Joseph sought shelter, not all authorities believe the manger now venerated to be the actual one.

The Church of the Nativity actually is a series of monasteries and churches of three sects, Greek, Latin and Armenian—under one roof. Below the transept, reached by a circular staircase, is the Grotto, or Chapel of Nativity.

The pavement in the underground Chapel of Nativity was broken. After discussions between the three sects it was arranged that the public works department of the government should replace the flagstones.

When the workers removed the old stones and started digging, they were surprised to find the remains of some former building.

The antiquities department in Jerusalem were called in, and walls, pillars, doors and stairs were revealed. Government archaeologists are now sinking shafts at three places.

It is thought by some experts that the remains found are part of the original church erected by Constantine the Great, the first Christian emperor, in the year 330. These parts, apparently, were covered by Justinian, who made alterations two centuries later.

The pavement has been found, and a subterranean vaulted roof.

Through this massive roof is being sunk a shaft into what may be the actual manger, the stable portion of the inn where Mary and Joseph sought shelter after they had been refused admission to the inn "because there was no room for them."

The archaeologists now working at Bethlehem are not prepared to make any statement until all the remains have been uncovered and carefully studied. Experts fear to make a statement, however, believe them to be on the eve of the greatest discovery ever made by archaeology.

Keeping Up With Others

Is All Right In Matter Of Progress

In one sense we must keep up with others. Their success inspires us. A student should not let another student outdo him in the progress of ideas of other people often lead us to better ways of doing business, and to better methods of living. Keep up with good sensible people!

But many prosperous people set a bad example. They spend too much money in fine houses, and expensive dress and jewelry and automobiles. You may have enough to keep up with them, but I advise you to pay no attention to their example. Have simple habits. Live in your own way, according to your own taste, and well within your means. Remember, not all "high-flyers" are able to fly so high! "Up like a rocket, down like a stick!"

It is pitiful to see some poor people trying to keep up with foolish rich people! Everybody knows they are poor, and living beyond their means. They thus lose their credit and the respect of sensible people. Poverty is not a crime. No sensible rich man looks down on his poor neighbor—on the other hand, he has great respect for a sensible, industrious poor man!—J. P. Greene.

Farm Prices Advancing

Better Times Indicated By News On Financial Page

Cheering news is to be found on the financial pages of the newspapers. In the United States experts estimate the nation's swine (animals, not humans) are worth \$250,000,000 more than quotations six weeks ago. Local farmers are getting a dollar a hundred more for their hogs and a dollar and a quarter more for cattle than they were a few weeks ago. Lambs are higher, so are butter and eggs. Food prices have been rising steadily since June 1. The total potential buying power of the farmer has been increased by millions, and it may well mark the beginning of a general business improvement. —Petrolia Advertiser-Topic.

Creamery Butter Production

The quantity of creamery butter produced in Canada in 1931 is the largest ever recorded by the dairying industry of Canada. It amounted to 225,000,000 pounds, an increase of about 40,000,000 pounds over the previous year. Since 1920, it is 2,696 dairy factories in operation in Canada.

The average tornado sweeps an area of about 10 miles.

Moles are confined to the north temperate latitudes.

The development of interest in historic sites and landmarks throughout Canada has increased greatly during the past few years, mainly as a result of the excellent work being carried out by the Department of the Interior on the recommendation of the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada.

The Board, which recently concluded its annual meeting in Ottawa, was formed in 1919 with the sanction of the Minister of the Interior, to advise the department on the preservation of such monuments and sites as were considered of pre-eminent national interest. The objects in view were the education of the nation in the history of the country, the stimulation of patriotism, the commemoration of the deeds of those who bore a significant part in the exploration, defence and development of the country, and in addition the preservation as national property of sites having outstanding historical interest.

The first meeting was held in October, 1919, and the name "Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada" adopted. The Board, which is composed of eminent historians chosen with a view to having representation from all parts of Canada, is honorary in character. No remuneration is paid to the members. The first sessions of the Board are carried out by the National Parks Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. Up to the present time 190 sites have been marked with a standard bronze tablet approved by the Board.

Among the sites recommended for marking at the recent meeting of the Board are those of the first iron furnace in Upper Canada, at Lynhurst, Leeds County, Ontario; the first submarine telegraph in North America, near Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick; and the fur-trading post of Norway House at the north end of Lake Winnipeg, in Manitoba. The inauguration of the first stage route between Quebec and Montreal, and the signing of the Indian treaties made near Orillia, Ontario, are also to be commemorated.

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Forestry Car Here Thursday, Sept. 8th

The years of drought and high winds in many parts of western Canada have carried their lesson in tree planting. According to experts traveling with the Canadian Forestry Association's tree planting car, now touring Alberta, the willows, poplars and maples have had their day as shelter belt trees except where the farmer is anxious to achieve results quickly. The future planter, we are told, will use caragana, ash and elm, the west's permanent deciduous trees. Listed as most important of all, however, is the spruce as it is "adaptable to all prairie conditions," and like the pine, affords twelve months of protection and beauty.

Not only do trees furnish protection for the family, the stock and the buildings, and give beauty, permanence and increased value to the farm home, but it is now definitely proven beyond any doubt, that their protection and ability to conserve moisture will assure a good garden, every year. Even in the worst drought areas during the past two and three years, the farmer who had his garden inside shelter belts received returns from it, while the man who depended on the garden in the open prairie, in nearly every case received nothing at all when harvest time came around. Such often profitable side-lines, as bees, poultry and small fruits, it is further claimed, become an assured success with tree belts to lend their protection, and with the great need for the farmer to raise and grow more of the things he needs for the family, trees will be increasingly used. In using trees for the protection of field crops, those who have given it a thorough trial claim that taking five-year periods, the well protected field will yield one-third more than one without protection. There are many districts where field belting will never become necessary, but over large areas the next few years will see extensive belting undertaken.

The great service the Forestry Association's car is rendering the west is indicated by the fact that between the time it left Regina on May 28 and entered Alberta on August 10, it visited 56 towns and villages in Saskatchewan and recorded a total attendance of 19,922 persons at 140 lectures. Officials accompanying the car predict that next spring will see more trees planted on the prairies than in any previous season.

The car will be in Lacombe, Thursday, September 8th.

Decoration Sunday Observed in Lacombe

To the memory of those who once loved in the flesh, and in receding memory of comrades who made the greatest sacrifice that men could make, the annual Decoration Service was held in the West We Forget Memorial Park on Sunday afternoon, August 28.

The summer has been particularly kind to the gardens this year, but the last week of excessive heat dried up many of the beautiful blooms, so that the flowers were not so plentiful as last year. There were about one hundred and fifty people present.

Mayor E. H. Jones, presided and in his opening remarks stressed how

important it is that the younger generation be educated in the needs of the war and what it means to them. The Rev. R. B. Layton gave an inspiring Commemorative address and prayer and pronounced the benediction. The King's message to the next-of-kin and the names on the scroll were read by Mr. Seymour Edmunds, while Miss Margaret Aldwinckle placed the flowers. Trumpets, C. H. Palmer from Sylvan Lake in the unavoidable absence, owing to the recent bereavement of Trumpet-ve C. W. H. Edmunds sounded the plaintive notes of "The Last Post," and "The Reveille." Mr. Chas. Sandbury sang with great expression the Requiem "O Valiant Hearts." The flag was lowered and raised by Constable A. MacDonald. After the singing of "God Save the King" wreaths from the Canadian Legion, the Last We Forget Club and other Clubs were placed on the Cenotaph, and then the people proceeded in cars to the Cemetery where the soldier's graves were decorated.

Blackfalds News

For the past week, Rev. and Mrs. Riggs have been conducting a Vacation Bible School with about eighteen in attendance. The school was opened with song and story. A period of games was followed by an hour of hand work, the girls each making a waste-paper basket and the boys a willow fern basket. The school closed on Wednesday afternoon with a treat of home-made ice cream. Miss Catherine Newton of Lacombe, was a welcome visitor to the school on Monday and for an hour with the children in some rollicking games. The children and teachers were well pleased with the success of the Vacation Bible School.

Mr. Henner, of Calgary, Representative of the Super-High Alumnum Company gave a demonstration supper and health lecture on Monday evening at the home of Mr. Fay to which a number of Blackfalds residents had been invited. He proved himself a skillful demonstrator and by his forceful talk after supper created a definite interest in the benefit of waterless cooking in conserving of full nutrients in the various foods and in the maintaining of health. We are suffering physically and also mentally from the present method of over-refining of flour and other food stuffs from which has been taken much of the mineral elements that are required for growth and health. He advocates a more simple diet and the conserving of the full food and mineral value of all foods as made possible by the best method of waterless cooking.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansley have returned from their holiday at Killam to resume the work as Principal of the Blackfalds school.

A light frost fell on Wednesday morning. The United Church plans to hold a Harvest Festival on Sunday evening, September 11th. The Services next Sunday will be held at Blindman at 11. Closes at 3 p.m. and at Blackfalds at 7:30 instead of 8.

The Lacombe Fall Presbytery of the United Church of Canada, will be held at Clive on Sept. 21st.

A Song service will be held at Spruceville next Sunday at 7:30, under the leadership of Mrs. Barker. The Sunday School will be postponed till the evening hour.

STOKER'S Clearance Sale!

All Goods Must be Sold Within the Next 3 Weeks, as Store and Outbuildings, Furniture, &c. will Then be Sold by Auction

Men's Khaki Comblination Overall, Reg. \$3.00, now per suit \$1.50
Men's Overall, Reg. \$2.25, now per pair \$1.00
Children's Overall, some with double knees, well made. Good quality. Regular \$1.50, now \$1.00
Men's Fancy Socks, pair 10c
Men's Fancy Rayon Sox, good quality, pair 25c
Men's Merino Comblination. Nice weight for Fall wear. Clearing at per suit \$1.25
Men's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs. Good quality. Reg. 15c. each, clearing at each 10c
A nice Assortment of Men's Silk Ties. Reg. 50c, for 25c
5 dozen pairs Ladies Black Cotton Hose, Reg. 25c, now per pair 15c
Beautiful Assortment of children's Sox and 1/4 hose. Regular to 60c, to be cleared at per pair 25c
Cream and White Marquise, 36 in. wide, Special per yard 18c
Jap Table Cloths, 36 in. square. Fast colors. Special each 39c
Good assortment of Beaconfield print. Good quality, 36 inches wide. Clearing at per yard 18c
Flannellette Shirting, dark colors and small checks. 36 in. wide. Clearing at per yard 18c
Ladies' Blonde Kid Shoe, good fitting and fine quality, Reg. \$2.95, clearing at per pair \$1.50
Large size White Cup and Saucer, smooth finish, very Special at 10c
7-piece Berry Sets, floral designs, Reg. \$1.50, now \$1.00
White and Fancy Bread and Butter plates clearing at each 5c
23 piece Tea Sets, beautiful designs, Reg. \$3.50, per set \$1.75
Fancy China Cups and Saucers, clearing at each 50c
32 in. Gingham, assorted colors, clearing at 10c
Girl's Black cotton Bloomers, per pair 10c
Special Values in Ladies' Colored Silk Hose. Come early for these 35c
Ladies' Print House Dresses, very special value, each 50c
Ladies' Fancy Vole Dresses, Assorted styles, clearing at 90c
Good assortment of Girl's print and Gingham Dresses, 8 to 14 years. Also pantie Dresses, to 6 years, clearing at each 50c
Curtain Serims, Fancy Scalloped edge and Floral Insertion. Very Special at 2 yards for 25c
Good quality Lace Panel Curtains, Reg. 75c, 36 in wide, 2 1/2 yards long, for each 35c
Very large colored Turkish Towels. Good grade. Reg. 75c, now each 35c
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Misses' Strap Slippers and Oxfords Or Pumps
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Women's Silk Hose—Several Shades 39c.

Grocery Specials for Week Ending September 3 Shop Where Shopping is Best

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98's \$2.35
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24's65

Tea
Broken Orange Pkoe, 2 lbs 65c.

Jam—Orchard City
Mixed with apple, 4 lb. pail 34c.

Sweet Biscuits
Lb. 17c.

Sodas
Dollar sodas per box 32c.

Sugar
10 lbs. 57c.
20 lbs. \$1.15
100 lbs. \$5.70

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Spruceville News

The dry cleaning demonstration held at the hall on Saturday, conducted by Miss Milne, was well attended and the ladies spent a very profitable afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Benson, of Hanna spent several days visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb. Mr. Jimmy Carwell was also a visitor there.

There will be a song service next Sunday night at the school house starting at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Becham and family of Calgary were visitors at the home of Mr. James Reid.

SALVATION ARMY BAND

HERE SEPT. 4th

An announcement of unusual interest is to the effect that the Salvation Army Band from Edmonton, will visit Lacombe on Sunday afternoon, September 4th. The band has visited the town previously and their music is remembered with much pleasure.

By the courtesy of the Lest We Forget Club, the Memorial Park has been placed at the disposal of The Army for the occasion.

Bandmaster Wm. Batcliffe is the leader of the band. He has been in charge for a number of years and

under the leadership, the Band has reached a fine state of efficiency. Adjutant Haynes and Captain Lezer, officers in charge of the Edmonton Corps, will also be present. They are available of occasional gifts, and their numbers will feature the programme, which is announced to commence at 4 p.m.

ALFRED LEE WATSON

DEAD

Alfred Lee, fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Watson, of Wolfville, passed away in the Lacombe Hospital on Wednesday, August 24th.

Deceased was born in Wolfville on May 28, 1900, and had resided in Lacombe and Ponoka District during his lifetime.

He leaves to mourn his loss besides his parents four brothers, William, of Banff; Guy, of Drayton Valley; Dean and George at home. Four sisters: Mrs. Ray Forrest, (Gladys) of Banff; Hazel, Daisy and Marion at home.

Lee was of a bright and cheerful disposition and was greatly liked by all who knew him. The funeral was held from St. Andrew's United Church, Lacombe, on Friday, August 26th. The service was conducted by the Rev. R. E. Layton.

The pall bearers were his three

two cousins, Cecil and Charles and his Uncle James.

The attendance of friends, neighbors and the many floral tributes were tokens of the esteem in which deceased was held.

Interment was made in Lacombe Cemetery.

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The regular meeting of the Municipality of Crown No. 300 has been postponed until further notice.

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Mrs. F. H. Reed, A.T.C.M., will resume her teaching of piano and Theory on Sept. 6th.

The demonstration in dry cleaning given by Miss R. Milne in the Orange Hall on Friday last was well attended, there being in attendance over 20 people. Many very valuable hints and suggestions were given by the demonstrator.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Milton, of Red and White Store were visitors at the Henry Hamber home, Red Deer, over Sunday.

The regular meeting of the W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Sherrer, on Sat., Sept. 3rd. Subject "Home Economics," by Mrs. J. Paul. Report of the Constituency Convention at Clive by the delegates. Current Events, Mrs. J. Sherrer. Hostesses: Madeline Vaughn, Crana, Hunter and Millard.

Yesterday noon the streets of Lacombe took on a very unusual appearance. At every point of vantage, eyes were squinting heavenward, peering through broken bottles, smoked glass, pieces of camera film and welding goggles, to catch a glimpse of the solar eclipse. Though in this part of Canada, the eclipse was only partial, the people here were more fortunate than the scientists in the east, where the eclipse was total, as the sky here was clear, while in the East, the sky was hidden by clouds. Scientists tell us that the next total eclipse visible in Canada will be 31 years hence. A small boy remarked when he viewed

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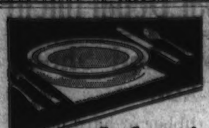
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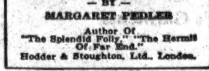
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THE HOUSE OF DREAMS-COME-TRUE

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CHAPTER XXVIII—Continued

"Oh, yes, she did," said Nick, "but she was in the afternoon when she started—looked like being a lovely night."

"But—but—" Nick stammered and came to a halt. There was a look of bewilderment in his eyes.

"But who's she gone with?" he demanded at last. "I thought she said she intended stopping the night with Judith and Burke at their bungalow."

"So she did," replied Blaise. "Why? Have you any objection?"—smiling.

"No. Only—Nick frowned—"I don't quite understand it. Judith isn't on the Moor."

"Not on the Moor?" broke simultaneously from Lady Anne and Blaise.

"How do you know, Nick?" added the latter gravely.

"Why, because—Nick's face wore an expression of puzzled concern—because I saw Judith in Newton Abbott late this evening."

Blaise leaned forward, a sudden look of concentration on his face. "You saw Judith?" he repeated. "What time?"

"It must have been nearly eight o'clock. I was buzzing along in Jim Cresswell's car to catch the seven-fifty-five up train, and I saw Judith with one of the Howfords—you know those people from London—turning into the gateway of a house. I expect it was the place the Howfords are stopping at. They didn't see me."

"You're quite certain? You've made no mistake?" said Blaise sharply.

"Of course I've made no mistake. Think I don't know Judy when I see her? But what's the meaning of it, Blaise?"

Tormarin rose to his feet, tossing the stump of his cigarette into the fire.

"I'm not sure," he said slowly. "But I'm going to find out. Madonnas—turning to his mother—"dear Jean tell you exactly what Judith said when she rang her up on the phone about this moonlight plan?"

"It wasn't Judith who rang up," replied Lady Anne, a faint frowning showing itself in her face. "It was Geoffrey who gave the message."

Tormarin looked at her with a sudden awakened expression in his eyes. There was dread in them, too—keen dread. The expression of a man who, all at once, sees the thing he values more than anything in the whole world being torn from him—dragged forcibly away from the shelter he could give into some unspeakable darkness of disaster.

"That settles it," he pressed his finger against the bell-push and held it there, and when Blaise came hurrying in response to the imperative summons, he said curtly: "Order me a fresh horse out at once—at once, mind. Tell Harding to saddle Orion, and to look sharp about it."

"Blaise—Lady Anne's obvious uneasiness had deepened to a sharp anxiety—"Blaise, what are you going to do? What—what are you afraid of?"

He looked her straight in the eyes. "I'm afraid of just what you are afraid of, madonnas—of the devil let loose in Geoffrey Burke."

"And—and you're going to look for her—for Jean?"

"I'm going to find her," he corrected quietly. "Gravity had set its seal on all three faces. Each was conscious of the same fear—the fear they could not put into words."

"But why do you take Orion?" asked Nick. "The little thoroughbred mare—wouldn't you do the four—"

any quicker and be lighter of foot over any marshy ground on the Moor."

"Orion can go when he chooses," returned Tormarin. "And with the reins tonight. Blowing is a little bit of a thing, though she's game as a pebble. But she couldn't carry—two."

The significance of Tormarin's choice of his big roan hunter, three-parts thoroughbred and standing sixteen hands, both horse to Nick. He nodded without comment.

Silently he and Lady Anne accompanied Blaise into the hall. From the gravelled drive outside came the impatient stamping of Orion's iron-shod hoofs. Just at the last Lady Anne clung to her son's arm.

"You'll bring her back, Blaise?" she urged, a quiver in her voice. "I'll bring her back, madonnas," he answered quietly. "Don't worry."

A minute later he and the great roan horse were lost to sight in the mist of the night. Only the hoofs of galloping hoofs was flung back to the two who were left to watch and wait, muffled and vague through the shrouding mist like the sound of a distant drum.

CHAPTER XXIX

The Golden Hour

Orion had fully justified Blaise's opinion of his capabilities. As though the great horse had guessed that there was trouble ahead he must not nudge, he had needed neither whip nor spur as he carried his master with long, sweeping strides over the miles that lay between Staple and the Moor. He was as fresh as paint, and his head showed the cool light under a rider with hands as light as a woman's and who sat him with a flexible ease, akin to that of a Cossack, had not disturbed him in the very least.

Now they were climbing the last long slope of the white road, that approached the bungalow, the reins lying loosely on Orion's neck.

The mist had lifted a little in places, and a watery-looking moon appeared through the clouds now and again, throwing a vague, uncertain light over the blurred and somber moorland.

Tormarin had no very definite plan of campaign in his mind. He felt convinced that he should find Jean at the bungalow. If, contrary to his expectation, she were not there, nor anyone else, he would have to wait for her formation as to her whereabouts, he would have to consider what his next move must be.

Meanwhile, his thoughts were preoccupied with the main fact that he had failed to return home. He had accepted the Howford's invitation to the bungalow, believing that Judith and the Howfords would be of the party, how was it that she had not at once returned when she discovered that for some reason they were not there?

Some weeks ago—during the period when she had decided to investigate the possibilities of an "unexploded bomb"—it was quite possible that the queer recklessness which sometimes tempts a woman to experiment in order to see just how far she may go—the mysterious delight that the feminine temperament appears to derive from dancing on the edge of a precipice—might have induced her to remain and have tea with Burke, chaperon or no chaperon. And then it was quite on the cards that Burke's lawless disregard of anything in the world except the fulfilment of his own desires might have engineered the rest, and he might have detained her at the bungalow against her will.

But Blaise could not believe that a "tete-a-tete" tea with Burke would hold any attraction for Jean now—not since that day, just before the visit to London, when he and she had been discussing the affairs of Nick and Claire and had found, quite suddenly, that their own hearts were open to each other and that with the spoken word, "Beloved," the misunderstanding of the past had been replaced by a wordless trust and belief.

But if it "had" attracted her, if—knowing precisely how much the man she loved would condemn—she had still deliberately chosen to spend an afternoon with Burke, why, then, Blaise realized with a swift pang that she was no longer his Jean at all but some other, lesser woman. Never again the "little comrade" whose crystalline honesty of soul and sensitive response to all that was sweet and wholesome and true had come into his scarred life to jewel its arid places with the new blossoming of the rose of love.

He tried to thrust the thought away from him. It was just the kind of thing that Neale would have done, playing off one man against the other with the innate intuition of the born coquette. But not Jean—not Jean of the candid eyes.

Presently, through the thinning mist, Tormarin discerned the sharp turn of the track which branched off from the road towards the bungalow, and quickening Orion's pace, he was soon riding up the steep ascent, the moonlight throwing strange, confusing lights and shadows on the mist-wet surface of the ground.

Suddenly, without the slightest warning, the roan snorted and wheeled around, shying violently away from the off-side bank. A less good horseman might have been unseated, but as the big horse averted Tormarin's knees gripped against the saddle like a vice, and with a lightning word he faced him up the track again, then glanced keenly at the overhanging

side of the roadway to discover what had frightened him.

A moment later he had jerked Orion to a sudden standstill, leapt to the ground and, with the reins over his arm, crossed the road swiftly to where, clad in some light stuff that glistened strangely in the moonlight, lay a slender figure, propped against the bank.

"Blaise!" Jean's voice came weakly to his ears, but with a glad note in it of immense relief that bore witness to some previous strain.

In an instant Tormarin was kneeling beside her; one arm behind her shoulders. He helped her to her feet and she leaned against him, shivering. Feeling in his pockets, he produced a brandy flask and held it to her lips.

"Drink some of this," he said. "Don't try to tell me anything yet." The raw spirit sent the chilled blood racing through her veins, putting new life into her. A faint tinge of colour crept into her face.

"Oh, Blaise! I'm so glad you've come—so glad!" she said shakily. "So am I," he returned grimly. "See, drink a little more brandy. Then you shall tell me all about it."

At last, bit by bit, she managed to give him a somewhat disjointed account of what had occurred.

"I think I must have been stunned a little when I fell," she said. "I can't remember anything after stepping right off into space, it seemed, till oh-ages afterwards—I found myself lying here. And when I tried to stand, I found I'd hurt my ankle and that I couldn't put my foot to the ground."

"So—with a weak little attempt at laughter—"I just sat down again."

"Oh, nothing really," she reassured him hastily. "Only a strain. But I can't walk on it." Then, suddenly, clinging to him with a nervous dread: "Oh, take me away, Blaise—take me home!"

"I will. Don't be frightened—there's no need to be frightened any more, my Jean."

"No, I know. I'm not afraid—now."

But he could hear the sob of utter nerve stress and exhaustion back of the brave words.

"Well, I'll take you home at once," he said cheerfully. "But look here, you've no coat on and you're wet with mist."

"I know. My coat's at the bungalow. I left in a hurry, you see?"—whimsically. The irrepressible Peterson element, game to the core, was reassuring itself.

"Well, we must tuck it—"

"No! No!" Her voice rose in hasty protest. "I won't—I can't go back!"

"Then I'll go."

"No—don't! Geoffrey might be there."

"So much the better," grimly. "I'd like five minutes with him." Tormarin's hand tightened fiercely on the hunting-crop he carried. "But he's more likely lost his way in the mist and fetched up far enough away. Probably—with a short laugh—"he's still searching."

"He's on his mind a bit, you know! Wait here a minute while I ride up to the bungalow—"

But she clung to his arm. "No, no! Don't go! I can't be left alone—again."

The feast was coming back to her voice and Blaise, detecting it, abandoned the idea at once.

"All right, little Jean," he said reassuringly. "I won't leave you. Put my coat round you—stripping it off. There—like that." He helped her to it and fastened it with deft fingers. "And now I'm going to get you up on to Orion and we'll go home."

"I shall never get up there," she observed, with a glance at the roan's great shoulders looming through the mist. "I shan't be able to spring—I can only stand on one foot, remember."

Blaise laughed cheerily. "Don't worry. Just remain quite still—standing on your one foot, you poor little lame duck!—and I'll do the rest."

She felt his arms release its clasp of her, and a moment later he had swung his leg across the horse and was back in the saddle again. With a word to the big beast he dropped the reins on to his neck and, turning towards Jean, where she stood like a timid, pale ghost in the moonlight, he leaned down to her from the saddle.

"Can you manage to come a step nearer?" he asked.

She hobbled forward painfully. "Now!" he said.

Lower, lower still he stooped, his arms outstretched, and at last she felt them close about her, lifting her with that same strength of steel which she remembered on the mountain-side at Montevana. Orion stood like a statue—motionless—as if he knew and understood all about it. His head elevated round a bit as though watching until the little business should be satisfactorily accomplished, and blowing gently through his velvety nostrils meanwhile.

(To Be Continued.)

Back To The Land

Unemployed Are Taking Advantage Of New Legislation

The unemployed have commenced a trek back to the land in seven of the nine provinces of the Dominion under the legislation adopted by the Dominion Parliament late last spring. Information secured at the office of Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration and Colonization, was to the effect that, although the legislation was not enacted until late in June a large number of unemployed have already made homes for themselves on vacant farms and are in a fair way to becoming independent.

The provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are now actively engaged in selecting and placing suitable families, and British Columbia is making a survey preparatory to taking advantage of the arrangement.

The program which is authorized for a period expiring May 31, 1934, provides that families receiving direct unemployment relief, suitable for life on a farm, are assisted to the extent of \$500 over a period of two years to establish themselves on vacant farms.

The locations are found and secured through governmental and other colonization agencies, and the money is contributed in equal shares by the federal, provincial and municipal governments.

The scheme, as explained by colonization officials, is primarily for employment measure and not colonization.

In Nova Scotia 117 applications have been approved and in Ontario 87. Manitoba has actually placed 126 families on the land under the scheme, Saskatchewan 296, and Alberta, which has just entered the plan, has approved 29 applicant families.

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War Debt Readjustment

Compromise, Close To Cancellation, Seems Necessary

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, in a special dispatch to the New York Times the other day, said that he thought it was little short of "appalling" that America is delaying in bringing about a readjustment of the war debt. We don't consider it appalling. America is doing precisely what France did and Germany did and England did; that is, she is delaying debt action until after her national elections. Furthermore, her general public opinion is not quite ready for the debt readjustment which her Eastern seaboard now recognizes as inevitable. We agree with Dr. Butler, however, that it is too bad that the country is not devoting more of its time to considering and understanding the situation. Perhaps it might help if there was generally revived the alliterative epigram of a New York banker, at the time when the present debt agreements were being arrived at in Washington, about about 1921 or 1922. He said: "There are three courses eventually open to us: Collection, Cancellation or Compromise. My bet is it will eventually be Compromise." As we see it now, it will probably be Compromise, pretty close to Cancellation. The country might as well call off its Garmers and its Hurleys and make up its mind to that.—New York Evening Post.

New Industry For Cuba

Farmers Find Sunflowers More Profitable Than Sugar Cane

Cuban farmers, tired of raising an annual sugar crop and losing money regularly, are now looking to the sunflower to provide a profitable crop twice a year. Hundreds of acres formerly planted with sugar cane are now covered with the yellow blossom of the sunflower.

A large market already exists for the oil extracted from sunflower seeds. This oil is declared to be superior to olive oil, now imported in large quantities from Italy and Spain, for all cooking purposes. Its freedom from odor during cooking is cited as its best recommendation.

The residue left after crushing the seed makes excellent cattle food. Plans for the development of the new industry include the building of a crushing mill, a refinery and a canning factory. If present experimental crops are successful, it is proposed to plant 30,000 acres immediately.

Australia's National Flower

Wattle Is Won By Commonwealth First British Settlement

The Wattle, the flower generally known as the Mimosa, is the floral emblem of Australia. It is won on January 26th each year to commemorate the first British settlement in Australia, in 1788. Many explanations are advanced for the bestowal of the name "Wattle" upon the plant, the most likely one being that the early settlers used the branches of the tree, which they found growing abundantly there, for making wattles, or hurdles, to enclose their sheep. The flower was adopted unofficially as Australia's floral emblem in 1899, when the Wattle Blossom League was formed at Adelaide.

Made Four-Point Landing

Dog At Niagara Falls, Ontario, Makes Parachute Jump

Cal, four-year-old silver grey police dog of Harold Brooker, of Niagara Falls, Ont., upheld all the traditions of faithful dog when he followed his master from the wing of an aeroplane in the first dog parachute jump known.

Cal wore a separate "chute" and successfully landed, making a four-point landing only a few feet away from Brooker.

Selfish Thomas

Mrs. Smart burst into her husband's study.

"Thomas has just wired to say that he's broken his arm and nose in a school football match," she said.

"H'm!" murmured her husband. "And what was the score?"

"He didn't say," returned his wife. "The boy's father looked disappointed."

"That's just like Thomas," he said; "never thinks of anybody but himself."

Fixing rubber grips to horseshoes prevents the horse from slipping on concrete pavement in wet weather.

Little Helps For This Week

First the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear.—Mark iv. 28.

Then bless thy secret growth, nor catch At noise, but thrive unseen and dumb; Keep clean, bear fruit, earn life, and wait.

Till the white-winged reapers come.—Henry Vaughan.

The Author and Diver of all good things expects us to grow and improve. He offers to increase in us true religion, to nourish us in all goodness. This gospel is a call to progress and improvement; it bids us never tire in our works of charity, but as fast as one kind purpose is accomplished set about another. Let charity, gentleness, and love be as the breath you draw.—John Kabala.

Non-Stop World Flight

Sensational Trip Planned By Matern and Griffin

The first non-stop flight around the world will be attempted next summer by James Matern and Bennett Griffin, the American flyers said before starting for London on their way home.

Matern and Griffin, whose attempt to beat the Post-Gazette around-the-world record, ended in a crash-upt at Borovik, Russia, said they would start preparations immediately on their return home for their sensational project.

A Good Definition

"Can any of you?" the teacher asked, "tell me what 'ambitious' means, and give a sentence to illustrate?"

"A bright little Negro held up his hand. 'I know, ash! It's fibbing. Mos' fish stories are fibious!'"

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Annual Conference Women's Institutes Convened at Clive Reports From Secretaries Show Splendid Progress Was Made During Past Year

On Wednesday, August 24th, the Conference of the Lacombe Constituency of Alberta Women's Institutes was held at Clive, with 106 members present. This was the largest and best conference ever held in this constituency and denotes the increasing interest and activity in Institute work. Eleven Institutes were represented.

The morning session was devoted mainly to registration, and reading of reports from Branch Secretaries and from Convenors of standing committees. Many new ideas and suggestions were gained from these reports, which showed the progress made during the past year. While many branches had not stressed finances, their members had gained much knowledge and inspiration from their studies of Examination, Legislation, Public Health, etc.

Following a delicious banquet served by the Clive ladies, Rev. Mr. Laird welcomed the delegates, humorously referring to the growing prominence of women in world affairs. Mrs. Cooke extended greetings on behalf of the Clive Institute and Mrs. Smathers responded, pointing out the high aims of the Women's Institute whose motto is "For Home and Country." A very inspirational report was given by Mrs. H. Olding, Constituency Convenor of Mirror. Lacombe constituency has a membership of 295. An instructive and interesting address by the Hon. Irene Parly on the League of Nations was listened to with much appreciation by the gathering. Reviewing the history of the League, Mrs. Parly pointed out where many of its former weaknesses had been greatly strengthened, this placing it in a position to give greater service internationally. She mentioned some of the League's accomplishments which have been of value to the world.

Fifty-seven nations are now members of the League. French and English are the two official languages of the League and a Secretariat of about 500 persons composed of representatives of all League nations, is working continuously in the interests of the League. They are building up a library where students may apply to study international problems of every kind. Treaties between nations must be registered with the League and over 1500 have so far been dealt with. Much valuable work has been done along the Drug and White Slave traffic and in economic and health.

The League is continually adding to its activities, but the solving of

any problem can only extend as far as the enlightenment and knowledge of the various nations will permit. Methods of taxation between nations were explained. Either hostile nations may appeal or a third may place the matter before the League. If hostile nations refuse to arbitrate and continue their martial activities, others may show their displeasure by withdrawing their ambassadors and by an economic boycott, which would quickly make its influence felt. As far as the European continent is concerned an economic blockade would be complete. A council composed of four permanent members and five non-permanent members, deal more satisfactorily with disputes than does the larger body. It operates something similar to a cabinet and has dealt with some thirty disputes, which might easily have developed into war.

In answer to a question, Mrs. Parly said the increase of armaments and feeling of insecurity today is caused by lack of vision and interest and the apathy of the various nations. A government can go no further than the people behind it and every individual is responsible to familiarize himself with the machinery and work of the League. An informed public is the only public which is an effective weapon against war.

Mrs. Montgomery, Provincial President, read a splendid paper on "What the country women of the world are doing." Beneficial results derived from national and international connections of women were pointed out and also some detail given of the work being done by the women of various nations. Mrs. Montgomery closed with a little story showing that people who get and keep die, while those who get and give, live.

"Household Economics" was the subject chosen by Mrs. Ferguson, District Director, for her address. Household Economics, said Mrs. Ferguson, yesterday, meant cooking and sewing; today it means Health; tomorrow, it will probably mean world affairs, as she reviewed the far-reaching influence of the home and the homemaker. Homes are today being blamed for the unrest and troubles of the world, but they should be a place, not for punishment, but a place where children are trained in a bulwark against wrongdoing, a place where food is prepared for health, a place for relaxation and restoration. She stressed the place of food in developing the right attitude,

some being over-fed, some under-fed and some wrongly fed. Also the importance of the surroundings to induce comfort and relaxation. "There are more starved souls than starved bodies," she claimed. One's surroundings exert an unconscious influence on one's disposition and character, and especially is this true of growing children.

She emphasized to her audience that it is in the home that health and character are developed and that the qualities cultivated in the homes will be the qualities displayed in our social, national and international relations. Several resolutions were dealt with and passed for further reference to the Provincial Conference. One relating to our Constituency was passed as follows:

"That whereas, Constituency Con-

venors find it difficult to obtain reports from Branch Convenors: Therefore be it resolved, that Branch Secretaries be responsible for obtaining reports from the Convenors of their branch, and mailing same to the Constituency Convenor in time for Conference.

Piano numbers by Miss Ditzler of Clive, vocal solos by Mrs. Montgomery, Welaskiw and readings by Mrs. Wiley of Bentley interspersed the program and were heartily enjoyed.

The Conference next year is to be held at Rimby.

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